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September 22, 2005

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Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45 - State Certification of USF Support for Rural Carriers

Dear Ms. Dortch,

This letter is submitted pursuant to 47 CFR §54.314, which requires annual state certification of the use of federal universal service funds as a prerequisite for continued receipt of funding by rural incumbent local exchange carriers and/or eligible telecommunications carriers. We, the Oklahoma Corporation Commission (OCC), govern local services and rates in Oklahoma and are the appropriate authority to issue certification under §54.314.

The OCC has obtained affidavits provided by a corporate officer, from each such rural carrier operating in Oklahoma, that include a sworn statement that support that the federal high-cost support received has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. The OCC also required and received additional documentation pertaining to 2003 and 2004 company operational and capital expenditures, and federal high-cost support received. Beyond these procedures, the OCC has not undertaken further processes to assure that the support received has been used for only its intended purposes.

We declare that to the best of our knowledge and belief, all federal high-cost support received by such rural carriers operating in Oklahoma (see attached list) has been used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

Our certification herein does not preclude us from reviewing in further detail how any rural carrier has employed its federal universal service funds and ordering that the use of funds comply with directives or policies we may set. Our certification is based on the best data available as of September 22, 2005. Our decision herein does not bind us in future or pending cases and we reserve the right to conclude, given better data or a more detailed review, that a

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company should employ its universal service funding differently then it does today or in the future.

We believe that this complies with the Federal Communications Commission requirement.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the extra copy of this letter and returning it to us in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

If you have any questions, please contact Eric Seguin, Chief of Telecom, at (405) 522-3765, or e-mail at e.seguin@occcemail.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joyce Davidson". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Joyce Davidson
Director
Public Utility Division
Oklahoma Corporation Commission

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Rural and Non-rural Eligible Telecommunications Carriers in Oklahoma

Company Name	Study Area Code	Type
Rural and Non-rural ILEC's		
ALLTEL Oklahoma, Inc.	431965	C
Atlas Telephone Company	431966	C
Beggs Telephone Company	431968	A
Bixby Telephone Company	431969	C
Canadian Valley Telephone Company	431974	C
Carnegie Telephone Company	431976	C
Central Oklahoma Telephone Company	431977	C
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, Inc.	431143	C
CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas, Inc.	431142	C
Cherokee Telephone Company	431979	C
Chickasaw Telephone Company	431980	C
Chouteau Telephone Company	431981	C
Cimarron Telephone Company	431982	C
Cross Telephone Company	431985	C
Elkhart Telephone Company, Inc.	411764	C
Dobson Telephone Company	431988	C
Grand Telephone Company, Inc.	431994	C
Hinton Telephone Company, Inc.	431995	C
KanOkla Telephone Association, Inc.	431788	C
Lavaca Telephone Co.	431704	A
McLoud Telephone Company	432006	C
Medicine Park Telephone Company	432008	C
Mid-America Telephone Company	432010	C
Oklahoma ALLTEL, Inc.	432011	C
Oklahoma Communication Systems, Inc.	431984	C
Oklahoma Telephone & Telegraph, Inc.	432013	C
Oklahoma Western Telephone Company	432014	C
Panhandle Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432016	C
Pine Telephone Company, Inc.	432017	C
Pioneer Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432018	C
Pottawatomie Telephone Company	432020	C
Salina-Spavina Telephone Company, Inc.	432022	C
Santa Rosa Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	432141	A
Shidler Telephone Company	432023	C
South Central Telephone Association, Inc.	431831	C
Southwest Oklahoma Telephone Company	432025	C
Terral Telephone Company	432029	C
Totah Telephone Company, Inc.	432030	C
Valliant Telephone Company	432032	C
Valor Telecommunications of Oklahoma, LLC	431165	C
Wyandotte Telephone Company	432034	C

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Company Name	Designation Cause No.	Order No. / Date
Other Eligible Telecommunications Carriers		
Cellular Network Partnership d/b/a Pioneer Enid/Cellular	PUD #200400464	501835 / 3/1/2005
Cox Oklahoma Telcom, L.L.C.	PUD #200200119	464785 / 6/20/2002
Dobson Cellular Systems, Inc.	PUD #200300239	495564 / 9/28/2004
Epic Touch	PUD #200300087	494933 / 9/15/2004
Logix	PUD #980000377	427872 / 11/3/1998
Panhandle Telecommunications Systems, Inc.	PUD #200300690	495215 / 9/21/2004
Pine Cellular Phones, Inc.	PUD #200400629	501836 / 3/1/2005
Sage Telecom, Inc.	PUD #200200039	463517 / 5/13/2002
TerraCom, Inc.	PUD #200400137	494161 / 8/26/2004
The Telephone Co.	PUD #200400335	498779 / 12/15/2004
The Pager Company dba The Page & Phone Co.	PUD #200300532	484228 / 12/19/2003
U.S. Cellular Corporation	PUD #200300195	495563 / 9/15/2004